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device on an object or an individual to be identified, said attachment means being a disposable wristband, said wristband having opposite extremities;

reusable securement means engagable with the opposite extremities of said wristband to maintain said wristband in operative relationship with and being separable [removable] from said extremities when said wristband is discarded, and

radio frequency identification circuit means located in said securement means for reuse with said securement means with a replacement wristband after the disposable [original] wristband has been discarded.

21. (Amended) A radio frequency identification device comprising:

disposable attachment means having opposite extremities;

securement means separably [demountably] connected to said opposite extremities of said attachment means for maintaining said attachment means in operative relationship with an object or individual to be identified; and



radie frequency identification eircuit means housed in said securement means and being removable with said securement means from said attachment means for subsequent use with replacement attachment means.

- 22. (Amended) The device of claim 21 in which said attachment means is a disposable [an] identification wristband, whose extremities are demountably secured to said securement means, said securement means and radio frequency identification circuit means being reusable with a replacement wristband after having been separated [dismounted] from operative relationship with said wristband.
- 23. (Amended) The device of claim 21 in which said attachment means is an elongated wristband and said wristband has opposite extremities, said securement means having opposite extremities receivable in the opposite extremities of said wristband to maintain said wristband, said securement means and said radio frequency identification circuit means in operative relationship with the object or individual to be identified.
- 25. (Amended) Reusable securement means having a body with securement portions thereupon, said securement portions being demountably engagable with opposite extremities of